



California Department of Education

## Diagnostic Center, Southern California

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# SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

Join the Diagnostic Center's transdisciplinary team and help make a difference for students, families and schools throughout Southern California. Diagnostic Center services are provided by a top-notch team of professional educators, including school psychologists, speech/language pathologists, educational specialists, motor specialists, clinical psychologists, and developmental pediatricians. Working as a team, these professionals address the unique educational needs of Southern California's most difficult-to-serve students enrolled in special education programs.

### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Master's Degree in Communicative Disorders or Speech-Language Pathology & Certificate of Clinical Competence (CCC-SLP)
- California Clinical or Rehabilitative Services Credential (or eligibility for)
- Minimum of three years public school experience as an SLP. Additional experience in non-educational settings also valued.
- California drivers license and ability to participate in occasional overnight travel

### HIGHLY DESIRABLE SKILLS

- Strong background in standardized, developmental and informal assessments for students with a full range of disabilities
- Knowledge of and experience with school-based communication interventions and programs
- Previous experience working with students with autistic spectrum disorders
- Experience with AAC/AT
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively within a professional team
- Outstanding oral and written communication skills
- Experience in consulting or providing staff development to educators

### TYPICAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- When working on-site, at the Center: weekly, assess two children with highly varied needs; interact with their parents; observe and confer with your colleagues
- When working in the field: provide consultant service to members of IEP Teams at public school sites
- Compose and present meaningful and practical reports used by educators for students ages 3-22

### BENEFITS

- Salary range: \$63,948 - \$80,256 for 209 days (entry based on your present salary)
- Excellent medical, dental, vision, and retirement benefits (STRS/PERS)
- Opportunity to work collaboratively with highly competent individuals from other disciplines (e.g., physician, school and clinical psychologist, education specialist, motor specialist)
- Professional work environment including well-equipped private office

**By October 31, 2004, PLEASE SUBMIT,  
completed application, letter of intent, resume, two letters of reference,  
and copy of credentials to:**

**Judith Burkhartsmeyer, Assistant Director**

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